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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 4th Saturday in 1911 (28th January 1911).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1911									
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.		c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	„ City & Taluk	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	— 0	53		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Hoskote	...	...	...	02	...	...	...	22	— 0	22				
	Dodballapur	...	...	...	04	...	...	...	43	— 0	43	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·44
	Nelamangala	...	...	...	06	...	...	...	19	— 0	19				
	Kankanhalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	— 0	13	Ragi	16·12	16·12	17·12
	Magadi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	— 0	33	Kulthi	15·00	13·12	...
	Channapatna	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	09	— 0	09	Kadale	10·12	10·12	9·48
	Anekal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	— 0	16				
	Devanhalli	...	...	...	03	...	...	...	85	— 0	85				
	Closepet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	— 0	25				
	District average...	...	...	...	02	...	...	...	32	— 0	32				
KOLAR.	Kolar	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	30	— 0	30				
	Bowringpet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	— 0	24				
	Chintamani	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	— 0	43				
	Mulbagal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	— 0	63	Rice, 2nd sort.	10·00	10·00	8·20
	Sidlaghatta	...	...	...	03	...	...	...	35	— 0	35				
	Chikballapur	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	53	— 0	53	Ragi	18·00	18·00	16·60
	Bagepalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	— 0	24	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
	Goribidnur	...	...	...	06	...	...	...	19	— 0	19	Kadale	10·00	10·00	8·65
	Malur	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	26	— 0	26				
	Srinivaspur	...	...	...	05	...	...	...	44	— 0	44				
	Gudibanda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	— 0	26				
	District average...	...	...	...	03	...	...	...	35	— 0	35				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	31	— 0	31				
	Maddagiri	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	25	— 0	25				
	Chiknayakanhalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	06	— 0	06				
	Sira	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	— 0	32	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	8·27
	Gubbi	...	...	...	03	...	...	...	21	— 0	21				
	Tiptur	...	...	...	02	...	...	...	13	— 0	13	Ragi	18·00	20·00	18·20
	Pavagada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	— 0	21	Kulthi	16·00	15·00	...
	Kunigal	...	...	...	04	...	...	...	19	— 0	19	Kadale	9·75	9·00	8·20
	Koratagere	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	34	— 0	34				
	Turuvekere	...	...	...	04	...	...	...	30	— 0	30				
	District average ...	...	...	...	04	...	...	...	20	— 0	20				

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					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.														
Mysore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	—	0 27				
Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	...	1	02	...	33	+	0 69		Seers	Seers	Seers
Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	—	0 37	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·75	9·00	10·08
Hunsur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	—	0 28				
Yedatore ...	...	...	...	02	...	...	...	17	—	0 17	Ragi	17·00	17·00	17·26
Heggaddevankote ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	—	0 49	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Gundlupet ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	—	0 49	Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·90
Nanjangud ...	...	...	...	03	...	...	...	20	—	0 20				
T.-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	06	...	...	...	31	—	0 31				
Malvalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	—	0 21				
Mandya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	—	0 34				
Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	07	...	...	...	27	—	0 27				
Nagamangala ...	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	42	—	0 42				
District average...	...	...	...	02	...	08	...	32	—	0 24				
HASSAN.														
Hassan ...	...	...	...	01	...	12	...	06	+	0 06				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	...	...	...	07	...	12	...	14	—	0 02	Rice, 2nd sort.	11·00	11·00	9·70
Arkalgud ...	...	...	...	09	...	...	...	28	—	0 28				
Belur ...	...	...	...	13	...	07	...	22	—	0 15	Ragi	20·00	20·00	19·26
Channarayapatna ...	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	09	—	0 09	Kulthi	18·00	20·00	...
Arsikere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	—	0 13	Kadale	8·50	8·00	8·25
Hole-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	—	0 26				
Alur ...	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	17	—	0 17				
District average...	...	...	...	04	...	04	...	17	—	0 13				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga ...	...	...	...	05	...	...	...	11	—	0 11				
Channagiri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	08	—	0 08	Rice, 2nd sort.	11·00	11·00	11·26
Honnali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	—	0 12				
Shikarpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ragi	26·00	25·00	22·19
Sorab ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	05	—	0 05	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	...
Sagar ...	...	...	...	04	...	...	...	22	—	0 22				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	11	—	0 11				
Tirthahalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	13	+	0 02				
Kumsi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	04	—	0 04				
District average...	...	...	...	01	...	02	...	09	—	0 07				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	—	0 24				
Kadur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	—	0 15	Rice, 2nd sort.	14·50	14·50	9·95
Tarikere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	07	—	0 07				
Koppa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	—	0 27	Ragi	22·00	22·00	19·20
Mudgere ...	...	...	...	04	...	35	...	07	+	0 18	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Yedahalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	06	—	0 06	Kadale	10·50	10·50	8·40
Sringeri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	—	0 16				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	05	...	14	—	0 09				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	—	0 27				
Challakere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	—	0 14	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·50	9·00	8·90
Hiriyur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	—	0 20				
Holalkere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	—	0 27	Ragi	26·00	26·00	19·40
Davangere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	04	—	0 04	Kulthi	24·00	18·00	...
Molakalmuru ...	...	...	...	02	...	...	...	17	—	0 17	Cholum	26·00	24·00	20·27
Jagalur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	04	—	0 04	Kadale	8·00	9·00	8·47
Hosdurga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	—	0 12				
Harihar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	—	0 30				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	—	0 17				
Provincial average...	...	...	...	02	...	02	...	22	—	0 20				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·47	8·05	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	13·40	17·53	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort		9·20	

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Paddy under harvest and paddy thrashing.

Outturn of harvest.—Ragi 12 annas in a rupee.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Paddy, avare, kulthi and togari are being reaped in almost all the taluks.

Standing crops, such as togari, castor, sugar cane and kulthi are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Bangalore and Anekal and sugar cane in parts of Devanhalli.

Crops harvested with outturn.—Paddy in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli, yield 10 annas, 8 to 16 annas, 12 annas, 12 annas and 4 to 12 annas respectively. Sugar cane in parts of Bangalore, Kankanhalli and Devanhalli, 8 annas, 16 annas and 4 to 12 annas, respectively. Togari in parts of Channapatna, 8 annas and kulthi in parts of Channapatna and Anekal, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala Kankanhalli, Magadi, Anekal and Closepet town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing in Kolar; sowing in Bowringpet, harvesting in Gudibanda and sowing and harvesting in Chintamani, Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta.

Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur; sugar cane in Chintamani, Goribidnur and Gudibanda and jola in Bagepalli.

Standing crops, such as sugar cane, paddy and avare are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Gudibanda, yield 8 to 12 annas; sugar cane in Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Gudibanda, 8 to 12 annas; horse gram in Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Malur, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda, 8 to 12 annas; togari in Bowringpet and Gudibanda, 8 to 16 annas; and avare in Malur and Gudibanda, 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in Kolar Gold Fields, Bowringpet town, some villages of Chikballapur Taluk, Kolar town, Kadripura in Kolar Taluk and in Mulbagal town, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "foot and mouth disease" in Pathapalya hobli of Bagepalli, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.